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ACTION NEA-16

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R 032035Z JUL 74
FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2460

C O N F I D E N T I A L NEW DELHI 8895

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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SCUL, IN, US
SUBJECT: NATARAJ

FOR KUX, NEA/INS

1. WHEN I SAW TEJA JULY 3 HE ALERTED ME THAT YOU CAN EXPECT THE INDIAN EMBASSY TO COME IN SOON AND DISCUSS LEGAL ACTION ON THE NATARAJ. TEJA SAID THE GOI WAS UNDER PRESSURE FROM THE TAMIL NADU GOVERNMENT AND IT EXPECTED QUESTIONS DURING THE COMING SESSION OF PARLIAMENT. THEIR DISCUSSIONS WITH NORTON SIMON CAUSED THEM TO BE QUITE UNCERTAIN WHETHER SIMON IN FACT WISHED A NEGOTIATED SETTLEMENT. THEY FOUND THAT HE CHANGED POSITIONS FREQUENTLY AND WAS OTHERWISE UNHELPFUL.

2. I DID NOT DIFFER WITH HIS ANALYSIS OF THE SITUATION AND TOLD HIM THAT THIS WAS A MATTER IN WHICH BOTH THE DEPARTMENT AND THE AMBASSADOR CONTINUED TO BE ACTIVELY INTERESTED AND ENGAGED.
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